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AMENDMENT

Hon. Commissioner of Patents
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Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed July 9, 2002, please enter the amendments contained on the following pages, which are summarized below.

Please amend claims 6, 8-10, 14, 15, 17, 19, 26, 27 and 30. Please cancel claims 18, 20-25, 28, 29 and 31-33.

Marked up copies of the original text of the amended claims are attached to this amendment. Material inserted is indicated by underling () and material deleted is indicated by strike-out (~~strike-out~~).